• Task 4 – Obtain information about planned and existing ATIS/ITS devices and systems (e.g., CMS, HAR and 511) throughout North Carolina.

The project team cataloged ATIS deployments within the North Carolina. NCDOT has North Carolina statewide ITS strategic plan which consists of 9 regional reports. These reports described ATIS projects that are planned or in consideration. Existing and future deployments found and cataloged from these reports will provide the base information for case studies in Phase II.

• Task 5 – Define the Phase II project scope detail.

Based on the findings from Phase I Tasks 1-4, we coordinated with the NCDOT project leadership to determine the best use of the project resources to satisfy NCDOT's project goals.

• Task 6 – Phase I Interim Report

An interim report will be completed early in project year 2 that documents the Phase I findings.

1.1.2 Phase II – Year 2: ATIS Technology Evaluation, Case Study Analysis, and Evaluation Procedure Development

• Task 7 – Modify, extend or create a North Carolina appropriate ATIS evaluation tool

The findings of Task 2 could range from identification of an evaluation tool that can be applied "off the shelf" at one extreme to the development of a completely new tool at the other extreme. The off the shelf tool considered was IDAS. Other possibilities include identification of an evaluation tool used elsewhere that could be adapted for use in North Carolina, or extension of an existing evaluation tool, such as the IMAP